Amendment to the Claims:

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

1-20.(Cancelled)

21.(Currently Amended) An electrode for a plasma display panel, comprising:

at least one bus line conductor; and

at least one pad connected with the at least one bus line conductor, the at least one pad including opposing side sections that point away from one another,

wherein the sections extend laterally a same distance from the at least one bus line.

22.(Previously Presented) The electrode of claim 21, wherein each of the side sections is triangular in shape.

23.(Previously Presented) The electrode of claim 21, wherein each of the side sections has a triangular portion and a rectangular portion, the rectangular portion having a line width which is less than a line width of the at least one bus line conductor.

24.(Previously Presented) The electrode of claim 21, wherein the side sections of the at least one pad each have a portion that gradually increases in width.

25.(Previously Presented) The electrode of claim 21, wherein the side sections of the at least one pad gradually increase in width.

26.(Previously Presented) The electrode of claim 21, wherein the at least one bus line conductor has a first width and the side sections have a maximum width that is greater than the first width, each of the side sections having a portion that is narrower than the maximum width and that intersects the at least one bus line conductor.

27.(Previously Presented) An electrode for a plasma display panel, comprising:

at least one bus line conductor; and

at least one pad connected with the at least one bus line conductor, the at least one pad including opposing side sections, each of the side sections having a blunted triangular shape, the side sections tapering away from an interior portion of the at least one pad.

28.(Previously Presented) The electrode of claim 27, wherein the interior portion of the at least one pad is rectangular in shape.

29.(Previously Presented) The electrode of claim 27, wherein the interior portion of the at least one pad includes blunted triangular shape end portions, one of the end portions connecting with the at least one bus line conductor.

30.(Previously Presented) The electrode of claim 27, wherein the at least one pad has an octagonal shape.

31.(Previously Presented) The electrode of claim 27, wherein the side sections of the at least one pad each have a portion that gradually increases in width

32.(Previously Presented) The electrode of claim 27, wherein the side sections of the at least one pad gradually increase in width.

33.(Previously Presented) The electrode of claim 27, wherein the at least one bus line conductor has a first width and the side sections have a maximum width that is greater than the first width, each of the side sections having a portion that is narrower than the maximum width and that intersects the at least one bus line conductor.

34.(Previously Presented) An electrode for a plasma display panel, comprising:

at least one bus line conductor; and

at least one pad connected with the at least one bus line conductor, the at least one pad having an oval shape.

35.(Previously Presented) The electrode of claim 34, wherein the at least one pad gradually increases in width.

36.(Previously Presented) The electrode of claim 34, wherein the at least one bus line conductor has a first width and side sections of the at least one pad have a maximum width that is greater than the first width, each of the side sections having a portion that is narrower than the maximum width and that intersects the at least one bus line conductor.

37.(Previously Presented) An electrode for a plasma display panel, comprising:

at least one bus line conductor; and

at least one pad including tapering end sections and a bulging inner section, one of the tapering end sections connected with the at least one bus line conductor.

38.(Previously Presented) The electrode of claim 37, wherein the at least one bus line conductor has a first width and the tapering end sections have a maximum width that is greater than the first width, each of the tapering end sections having a portion that is narrower than the maximum width and that intersects the at least one bus line conductor.